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MASTER SGT. FREDRICK L. DAVENPORT

Master Sergeant Fredrick L. Davenport was born in San Diego, Calif. He attended and graduated from Oceanside High School in Oceanside, Calif. He joined the Army September 1983 and attended Basic Training and Engineer Advanced Individual Training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

Immediately following his Initial Entry Training, Davenport attended Airborne School at Fort Benning, Ga. He came to Fort Bragg, N.C., in April 1984 and started Special Forces training December 1985.

After graduating the Special Forces Qualification Course, Davenport was assigned to the 5th Special Forces Group (Airborne). He has also served with 3rd SFG(A), 96th Civil Affairs Battalion and the U.S. Army John F. Kennedy Special Warfare Training Center. He has deployed to Afghanistan, Kuwait, Iraqi, Rwanda, Haiti, Pakistan, Zaire, Sierra Leone, Cote De Ivories, Ghana, Botswana, South Africa and Togo. He is currently assigned to ODB 3210.



His awards and decorations include Distinguished Meritorious Service Medal, Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Joint Commendation Medal, Joint Achievement Medal, NCO Professional Development Ribbon, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, National Defense Service Medal and the Army Service Ribbon.

Davenport is currently in the process of retiring after 26 years of military service. He resides in Fayetteville, N.C., with his wife of 18 years, Tammy; four daughters, Dana married with two daughters, Jamie, married with two daughters, Ashley, and Brooke who graduates in 2009 and has enlisted in the USAF. His parents are William Roy Davenport and Grace Lucille Davenport

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